

## OPPOSE GRANTING LIQUOR LICENSE

Judge Witt Gives Entire Day to Hearing Friends and Opponents of Certain Saloons.

### MR. SEMMES'S QUICK REPLY

"Into Middle of River," Is Suggested by Minister as "Proper Place" for Them.

Judge Witt, sitting in the Hastings Court, gave all of yesterday to hearing evidence in favor of or against the granting of liquor licenses to R. N. Miller, Ed. Hogan and P. H. Sullivan, who now keep saloons on Oregon Hill, within a few blocks radius. After hearing about 125 to 150 witnesses, the majority of whom testified against the applications, Judge Witt adjourned court until next Tuesday, June 4th, when the remaining testimony will be taken. Both sides presented a cloud of witnesses, but those for the opposition far outnumbered the witnesses for the applicants. Witnesses for the latter were crowded into the court-room, and intense interest was manifested at every stage of the proceedings.

While there must have been some suppressed feeling among the rival contingents, any indication of it was suppressed, and the entire proceeding was of the most dignified and orderly nature throughout. Judge Witt enforced strict order and firmly repressed any manifestation of feeling or any tendency to the indiscreet.

Attorney Hunsdon Cary appeared as counsel for the protesters and was seconded by Commonwealth's Attorney Minnie Folkes, whose attitude was of a more official and judicial nature than as a prosecutor. For the advocates of license, Attorney Harry M. Smith appeared, and conducted the case with tact and judgment.

The Rev. Thomas Semmes, rector of St. Andrew's, protested against the granting of licenses to the applicants. Charles, the Rev. J. B. Hutson, pastor of the Pine-Street Baptist Church, and the Rev. D. G. C. G. of the Leavelle-Street Methodist Church, whose congregations composed the majority of the protesters, appeared and testified, and many members of their congregations likewise deposed. These three churches had filed lengthy petitions opposing the issue of license, but Judge Witt ruled that witnesses to petitions were not valid evidence, and summoned the signers of the memorials to appear and testify.

### Many Ladies Protest.

Forty or fifty ladies appeared to testify for the opposition to the applications, and not a few, though not so many, appeared in support of the applicants.

The testimony generally was as to the general reputations of the saloons and the suitability or unsuitability of the locations for the sale of liquor. The Rev. Thomas Semmes testified as to what he had heard as to the character of patrons of the bars and the reputations of the places asking for licenses. He testified to having dispensed alms in the neighborhood to many families who, in his judgment, and to the best of his knowledge and belief, would not have needed assistance, but for the expenditure by the bread-winners of the family for drink at these saloons. Objection was also made to license on the ground that the three saloons were in the heart of a residential section of the city.

Attorney Smith characterized the testimony of Mr. Semmes as an argument, and asked if he could suggest any place to which he would have the saloons removed.

"Yes—into the middle of the river," said the witness, amid hand-clapping and demonstrations from the large audience, and especially the ladies. Judge Witt reproved the audience, and warned those participating in the demonstration against a repetition of it. The testimony of Mr. Butler and of Mr. Butts was cumulative and corroborated that of the preceding witnesses. Mr. Smith, attorney for the applicants, interposed, that the testimony and the answer of Mr. Semmes to his question proved what he suspected—that the opponents were local opinion makers and were opposed to granting any license.

Members of the congregations of the three churches named and many other persons testified as to the general reputation of the places. Without completing the testimony, Judge Witt set Tuesday, June 4th, for further argument, and adjourned court.

### JUNE'S RECORD.

Weather Bureau Has Been Keeping "Tab" On Month of Flowers Nine Years.

Data covering a period of nine years have been compiled from the Weather Bureau records at Richmond. They are issued to show the conditions that have prevailed during the month of June, for the above period of years, but must not be construed as a forecast of the weather conditions for that month.

Temperature:

Mean or normal temperature, 75 degrees; the warmest month was that of 1897, with an average of 77 degrees; the coldest month was that of 1903, with an average of 70 degrees; the highest temperature was 92 degrees on June 8, 1890; the lowest temperature was 52 degrees on June 13, 1904; the earliest date on which frost occurred was on October 12th; average date on which frost occurred was on October 12th; average date on which frost occurred was on October 12th.

Precipitation (rain or melted snow):

Average for the month, 3.47 inches; average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, 11; the greatest monthly precipitation was 6.72 inches in 1903; the least monthly precipitation was 2.32 inches in 1901; the greatest amount of precipitation occurred on June 13, 1904, when 4.75 inches fell; the least amount of precipitation was 2.88 inches on June 16, 1902.

Relative Humidity:

Average, 8 A. M., 76.

Clouds and Weather:

Average number of clear days, 10; partly cloudy days, 13; cloudy days, 7.

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Chamber of Commerce Building, Ninth and Main Streets.

## TIP TO WALL STREET ON RAILROAD TALK

Believed Traders Got Advance Copy of Roosevelt's Speech.

### THAT CAUSED THE PANIC

May Order Investigation to Ascertain if There Was Crooked Work.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 29.—The

panicky action of the Wall Street market on Monday, when stocks tumbled all along the line, was due to the fact that Wall Street had received a tip from the President's speech at Indianapolis to-morrow would contain statements calculated to disturb sensitive financial conditions, and that the wise ones in the street were getting from under.

There is no doubt that many of the big operators in New York knew on Monday the general tenor of the President's prepared speech on the subject of railway valuations and Federal regulation of stock issues. Those who did not know about it are subject to the charge of lack of industry and alertness.

There have been abundant opportunities for Wall Street manipulators to learn that the speech contained highly important statements bearing on the attitude of the Washington administration towards the general proposition of Federal regulations of big corporations. Whether there is a scandal in the manner in which this information leaked out, and was taken advantage of by the stock-jobbing interests, will probably not be revealed unless an official investigation should be made, and this is expected to be made.

It would be most surprising if infinite information about what was said on the railroad situation did not find its way to Wall Street interests from one of the numerous sources consulted by the President. There was more accurate street gossip about this

### VISITING "PRESS"

For the use of the newspaper men attending the reunion, The Times-Dispatch has fitted up on the third floor of its building comfortable quarters.

The rooms will be equipped with Western Union and Postal telegraph offices and Southern Bell telephone, through the courtesy of the companies, and there will be in charge a local newspaper man to furnish "information" for the press visitors.

The Times-Dispatch extends a cordial invitation to all representatives of the press to make the rooms their headquarters during the reunion. Telegrams and mail should be sent care of "Times-Dispatch."

Press telephone, No. 4556.

Manager McKee, of the Bijou, Manager Wice, of the Academy, and President Wells, of Idlewood, announce that their theatres are open to visiting newspaper men during the reunion. Official press badges must be worn. These may be had at the Times-Dispatch Building.

speech than any other that has been prepared for a long time.

### CASE SENT TO JUDGE WADDILL

Richmond Court to Consider Case of Interstate Bank.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

ASHLEVILLE, N. C., May 29.—The case of Wyckoff and other stockholders of the Southern Interstate Bank, of Richmond, against that institution, brought in the Circuit Court of Richmond, because of a transfer of property to another bank, and for which a receiver was asked, was heard today before Judge Pritchard, and a temporary restraining order granted, restraining Judge Waddill at Richmond next Saturday. The appointment of a receiver was not passed upon, but that matter will also be heard by Judge Waddill in Richmond.

J. A. Lamb, of Richmond, made argument on behalf of the complainant stockholders, and Hill Montague and J. Garland Pollard appeared for the defense.

Railroads Are Indicted.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., May 29.—To-day the grand jury of Cumberland Superior Court returned a bill against the Atlantic Coast Line, Raleigh and Southport, Aberdeen and Rockfish and Southern Express Company for violating the prohibition law passed by the Legislature of this State, which requires those public carriers to furnish the solicitor at every term of the Superior Court, the name of the persons for whom they have transferred liquor, and the amount.

Property Transfers.

Richmond—C. R. Grantham's trustee and wife to Henry S. Wallerstein, Charles Straus and M. Kelly, 2445 feet on north line of Main Street, running from Twenty-sixth to Twenty-seventh Street, \$12,500. Henry S. Wallerstein and wife to Mary E. Rudder, 30 feet on south line of Conto Street, 90 feet east of St. Paul Street, \$850. Louis F. Dosselle's executor to W. B. Burckell, Jr., two lots aggregating 134 feet on west line of Jail Alley between Broad and Marshall Streets, \$700. Same to L. Caplan, 25 feet on north side of Broad Street, No. 1210 East, subject to two deeds of trust for \$1,300, \$3,500. Trustees of West View Baptist Church and R. M. Smith, M. F. Hudson and J. Watson Phillips and wives to T. C. Williams, Jr., trustee, 69 feet on Cary Street, southwest

corner of Meadow Street (T. T. Harris, trustee, unites herein to release a lien of a deed of trust).

J. W. Johnson to L. H. and Helen Moore Johnson, 25 1/2 feet on west line of Eighth Street, 21 feet north of Baker Street, \$750. East Virginia Land and Improvement Company to Leslie B. Campbell, 30 feet on south line of Rogers Street, \$90.

E. L. Lindsay and wife to Hannah Greenlee, 60 feet on north line of Franklin Street, 33 feet west of Boulevard, \$2,400.

Henric—John T. Martin and wife to John Jeter, 18 1/2 acres on west side of Varina Road, adjoining the lands of Thomas Miller and others, \$20.

Mrs. Roosevelt at Oyster Bay.

OYSTER BAY, L. I., May 29.—Mrs. Roosevelt, accompanied by Miss Ethel and Archie and a maid, arrived here to-night. The gunboat Yankton, on which the trip was made, dropped anchor off Sagamore Hill about 7 o'clock, and the party was taken ashore in a launch.

### OBITUARY.

Funeral of Mr. Heyer.

The funeral of Frederick J. V. Heyer, who was killed by a fall from the top of a pole in Alexandria Wednesday, will take place from his mother's residence, No. 101 North Fifth Street, at 9 o'clock this morning. The services to be held at St. Mary's Church. Interment will be in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Mrs. George Emma Mallory. Mrs. George Emma Mallory died at her husband's residence, No. 727 North Fifth Street, at 7 o'clock yesterday morning. She was the wife of Mr. O. Mallory, and was forty-eight years of age. She is survived by her husband and four children—Frank Mallory, Mrs. Thomas B. Smith and Misses Bertha and Ruth Mallory. The funeral will be from the residence at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, and interment will be in Hollywood.

### DEATHS.

MALLORY.—Died, at her husband's residence, 727 North Fifth Street, Wednesday at 7 A. M., Mrs. GEO. EMMA MALLORY, beloved wife of W. O. Mallory, in the forty-eighth year of her age.

Funeral from 727 North Fifth Street FRIDAY at 3 P. M. She is survived by her husband and four children—Frank Mallory, Mrs. Thomas B. Smith, Misses Bertha and Ruth Mallory. Interment in Hollywood. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

### Funeral Notice.

HEYER.—The funeral of FREDERICK J. V. HEYER will take place from his mother's residence, No. 101 North Fifth, on THURSDAY MORNING, May 30th, at 9 o'clock; thence to St. Mary's Church. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery, Kingston, N. Y. (Norfolk, Va., and Baltimore, Md., papers please copy.)

### DETECTIVE WORK.

Just as an intelligent detective sets his traps to catch the guilty perpetrator of a crime that seems mysterious, so the medical man goes to work to discover the origin of the trouble in a patient. He knows that in most cases some of the organs of the body are not performing their functions properly, and knowing that in a large percentage of cases the action of the bowels is at fault, he early inquires whether his patient is constipated. If the physician knows that if a cure is to be effected, the constipation must be not only relieved, but permanently remedied, and that in order to accomplish this certain muscles must be given new strength and elasticity. For this purpose successful medical men give their faith to a preparation of 1-2 oz. Fluid Extract of Senna, 1-2 oz. Rochelle Salts, 1 oz. Aro-Sagrada, 30 grains Bile Beans of Soda, 1-2 oz. water and 1-2 ozs. Glycerine. Of this the patient is given a teaspoonful at bedtime and before each meal, the treatment being continued until their is free movement of the bowels. This simple prescription can be put up by any good druggist.

## QUEEN OF NORWAY WAS ALMOST KILLED

Terrified Horses Plunge Over Bridge and Fall Into Lake.

### RESCUED WITH DIFFICULTY

Wife of President Fallieres Was Also in Danger of Being Crushed.

PARIS, May 29.—An alarming accident marred the visit of King Haakon and Queen Maud of Norway to Versailles today. Their Majesties, who are on their way to England, were accompanied by President and Mme. Fallieres. Queen Maud, Mme. Fallieres and General Michel were in one landau drawn by four horses. As the carriage was crossing the low, narrow bridge in the park that leads over Lake Marie Antoinette, to the Swiss village, near the Petit trianon, the horses became frightened and commenced plunging curiously. The bridge is without rails, low stone copings taking their place. First one horse fell into the water and the continued plunging of the others carried two more over the side of the bridge. The positions went with them.

In the meantime the ladies were greatly alarmed. General Michel, realizing the danger, burst open the door of the landau and half, helped, half carried the queen and the wife of the president out of the carriage and to the end of the short bridge. General Michel's action was none too prompt, for just as the ladies were safely out, the oscillating carriage followed the horses into the lake.

Shouts from the postillions had told King Haakon and President Fallieres that there was in another carriage, that something was wrong, and they hastened back. Upon perceiving the danger, the king threw off his hat and coat and was ready to leap into the water, but this was not necessary. The ladies were not hurt, although they were much agitated and nervously shaken.

The water under the bridge is not deep and dragons rode in and pulled out the horses. One of the animals had two legs broken and was at once killed.

The incident of the Women's Christian

Temperance Union of the city are looking forward to a fine meeting at Grace Street Baptist Church to-morrow night, at which Mrs. Nannie Curtis, of Sherman, Tex., is to speak. Special music will be furnished and everything possible done to make the meeting notable.

Mrs. Curtis addresses this meeting by special request of those present at the meeting in the city Auditorium last Friday night, at which meeting she delivered a most impressive address and did much to remove from the minds of her auditors at least the prejudice against ladies speaking in public. In fact, many who heard her declared it the best address they had ever heard.

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ridge to Houston, in Halifax county, where the case will be tried, is about \$5. The Commonwealth alone will have at least seventy-five witnesses summoned, making a total cost of nearly \$100. The defense will have to put on as many witnesses probably. It is likely that many witnesses, owing to poverty, will fall by the wayside and fail to reach the trial. The Commonwealth allows witnesses four cents a mile each way between his home and the court.

The railroad fare is three cents. The fee for testifying is fifty cents a day. Out of that fifty cents, and one cent a mile over and above railroad fare the witness will have, to defray the cost of living at Halifax while waiting to be called to the stand. But he will not receive his mileage and attendance until after the case is decided, certainly not until he has testified.

It is not unlikely that the jury will have to be brought from Halifax to Nelson county to be given a view of the road over which Theodore Estes and Elizabeth Loving drove on the afternoon he is alleged to have assaulted her. This will involve much time and expense. But Judge Barksdale said all authorities were agreed that no consideration of expense should weigh in considering a motion for a change of venue.

### Another Case Heard.

A few minutes after Judge Barksdale rendered his decision this morning on the motion to change the venue, Judge Gordon ascended the bench and presided in the trial of a man named Clements, who got full of whiskey, "Tiney River White Lightning," they call it here, and shot a man, inflicting a wound which came near proving fatal. The counsel on both sides waived a jury trial, leaving the case to the court to decide.

Judge Gordon imposed a fine of \$5 and sentenced Clements to serve four months in jail. Mr. Strode, of counsel for the defense of Judge Loving, defended the prisoner. The sentence may or may not be significant as a side light on the Loving case.

### PERSONALS AND BRIEFS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Brittingham have returned to the city for the reunion. Mr. Brittingham was an officer in the Confederate States Navy and expects to meet many of his old friends from Texas and New York, in which State he has resided many years since the war.

Mrs. W. N. Hunter and family, from Independence, Mo., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Merton, No. 1